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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of  
David C. CURTIS and Christopher SELWOOD  
Serial No.: 09/748,837  
Filed: Dec. 27, 2000

Group Art Unit: 3623  
Examiner: Irshadullah, M.

For: **FULLY INTEGRATED SERVICE  
MANAGER WITH AUTOMATIC  
FLOW-THROUGH  
INTERCONNECTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find the following:

1. Response to the Office Action of March 13, 2003;
2. Petition for Extension of Time; and
3. One check for \$ 465.00 for payment of the fee under 37 CFR 1.17(a)(3).

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 18-1579. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 18-1579 for any future fees connected in any way to this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of March 13, 2003, Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendment and reconsideration based on the accompanying remarks.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this response.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this response.

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